

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Junichi Hayashi	< < < <	Confirmation No.:	3926
Application No.:	10/762,038	<		
Filed:	1/20/2004	< < < <	Examiner:	Jin Cheng Wang
For:	IMAGE-PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM, AND COMPUTER-READABLE STORAGE MEDIUM FOR DISCOURAGING ILLEGAL COPYING OF IMAGES	< < < < < < < < < <	Art Unit:	2628

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION / AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 4/16/2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.